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Michael Flynn's lawyer shuts down talks with Trump's legal team. A5

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Malls seek angles to cash in on the year's busiest shopping season. B1

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UConn men defeat Oregon 71-63 to advance in the PK80 invitational. C1

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HOLY TRINITY CHURCH

A Home For All On Thanksgiving

Hartford Parish Welcomes Everyone At Holiday Feast

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When Edward Burney walked into the basement of Holy Trinity Church in Hartford on Thursday, a volunteer took his coat. Someone else led Burney to a table where a menu waited for him, offering five kinds of turkey, four types of chicken and three iterations of pork. And a few minutes after Burney ordered, a third volunteer brought him a plate heaped with all he wanted for Thanksgiving.

"We want people to feel like this is Thanksgiving at their home, if they had a home to go to," said Elaine Hatcher, one of the volunteers who organized Holy Trinity's annual Thanksgiving meal. "Every day, they have to stand in line just to be insulted, pretty much. But here they can sit down, take off their coat and be served."

Holy Trinity Church, which sits on Capitol Avenue not far from a number of homeless shelters, has opened its doors every Thanksgiving, Christmas and Easter for the past four years. The church's leader, the Rev. Charles Jacobs, said the Thanksgiving meal is not only for the homeless or the needy — there was also a number of parishioners and volunteers eating Thursday afternoon — but for anyone who wants a meal.

MEAL, A8

CONNECTICUT'S THANKSGIVING TRADITION

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SWEET VICTORY IN MANCHESTER

PAUL CHELIMO, of Colorado Springs, Colo., above, won the Manchester Road Race Thursday morning with a time of 21:32. Chelimo, the silver medalist in the 5,000 meters at the Rio Olympics, outkicked Kirubel Erassa (second in 21:34) and Chris Thompson (third in 21:36). In the women's race, both Molly Huddle and Buze Diriba broke the late Emelie Mondor's course record of 23:59, but Diriba took first in 23:57. Stories, **Pages C1, C3**.

WINNERS

MEN
Paul Chelimo: 21:32

WOMEN
Buze Diriba: 23:57

HEALTH INSURANCE

States' CHIP Funds Dwindle

Health Aid For 9M Kids To End If D.C. Doesn't Act

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Officials in nearly a dozen states are preparing to notify families that a crucial health insurance program for low-income children is running out of money for the first time since its creation two decades ago, putting coverage for many at risk by the end of the year.

Congress missed a Sept. 30 deadline to extend funding for CHIP, as the Children's Health Insurance Program is known. Nearly 9 million youngsters and 370,000 pregnant women nationwide receive care because of it.

Many states have enough money to keep their individual programs afloat for at least a few months, but five could run out in late December if lawmakers do not act. Others will start to exhaust resources the following month.

The looming crunch, which comes despite CHIP's enduring popularity and bipartisan support on Capitol Hill, has dismayed children's health advocates.

"We are very concerned, and the reason is that Congress hasn't shown a strong ability to get stuff done," said Bruce Lesley, president

CHIP, A4

Running Out Of Time

- Congress missed a Sept. 30 deadline to extend CHIP funding.
- Nearly 9 million children and 370,000 pregnant women nationwide rely on CHIP.
- Trump's 2018 budget proposes cutting billions from CHIP over two years.
- Arizona, California, Minnesota, Ohio, Oregon and the District of Columbia will run out of CHIP money by Dec. 31.

Norwalk's New Mall An Anomaly

While Others Shutter, Plaza Breaks Ground

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As retail giants like J.C. Penney, Macy's and Sears shutter in waves, leaving the malls they anchor struggling to survive, developers of a new enclosed shopping center are betting on the wealth of Fairfield County.

RETAIL

Just off Interstate 95 and a few hundred yards from the bustling South Norwalk district, the SoNo Collection is under construction. Developers and officials hope the mall will draw people from across Fairfield County and towns beyond.

The SoNo Collection, scheduled to open in 2019, will be the fourth mall in the state's largest and wealthiest county. It will feature southern Connecticut's only Nordstrom and Bloomingdale's, while providing nonretail experiences with restaurants, sculpture and rooftop gardens and a potential muse-

MALL, A4

KILLINGLY CRASH HEROICS

Right Place, Right Time

With Leg On Fire, Father Works With Son To Save Woman

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KILLINGLY — Michael Jordan's leg felt hot as he and his son worked to pull a woman from a burning pickup, but he didn't have time to find out why.

The 24-year-old woman's legs were twisted and wedged under the crushed dashboard of the pickup she had been driving before it crashed, and the fire — which already had burned Jordan's work boot — was spreading to the truck's cab.

Once they pulled the woman from the truck, Jordan realized his leg was on fire — for the second

JORDANS, A4

High School Football

- Despite a 30-22 win over Cheshire, Southington misses the postseason. The final seed in the Class LL playoffs goes to Fairfield Prep. **C1**
- Division I recruit Lavarey Banton goes out a winner as Hartford Public defeats Bulkeley, 46-6. **C5**
- Maloney's defense forces four turnovers to lead the Spartans to a 27-21 victory over Platt. **C5**

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